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SUBJ: SUPPORT FOR LOCAL FOOD AND POPULATION COMMITTEES

REF: A) STATE 017507; B) KIGALI 0249

1. GOR RECENTLY SET UP SCIENTIFIC CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE ON POPULATION (AIRGRAM FOLLOWS). THIS COMMITTEE, ALONG WITH LARGER SOCIAL COUNCIL CONVENED FOR LATE JULY (REF B) WILL ATTEMPT DEFINE POPULATION PROBLEMS AND SOLUTIONS IN RWANDAN CONTEXT. ALTHOUGH COMMITTEE HAS NO DIRECT MANDATE INVESTIGATE FOOD PROBLEMS, IT CHARGED SEEK MEANS TO ACHIEVE EQUILIBRIUM BETWEEN PRODUCTION AND POPULATION GROWTH.

2. LIST OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS NOT YET PUBLISHED. EMBASSY HAS BEEN CONFIDENTIALLY INFORMED LEADING MEMBERS OF COMMITTEE ARE: DR. SIXTE BUTERA, SEC GEN MINHEALTH; DR. EMANUEL AKINGENEYE, ARMED FORCES DOCTOR; SISTER ISADORE, UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL, BUTARE; AND MADAME GAUDENCE HABIMANA, DIR GEN SOCIAL AFFAIRS, PRESIDENCY. ANOTHER RWANDAN DIRECTLY INTERESTED POP PROBLEMS FROM PROVIA TE SECTOR IS PROF. SILAS NYIBIZI, UNIVERSITY OF BUTARE.

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3. RECOMMENDATION: IN VIEW FACT RWANDAN APPROACH TO

RESOLUTION ITS SIGNIFICANT POPULATION PROBLEM IS YET
TO BE DIFINED BY SOCIAL COUNCIL AND SCIENTIFIC
COMMITTEE AND, GIVEN SENSITIVITIES RWANDAN TRADITION
TO DIRECT APPROACHES POPULATION CONTROL, BELIEVE IT
INADVISABLE AND, PERHAPS, COUNTER-PRODUCTIVE FOR PPC
COMMITTEE VISIT RWANDA AT THIS TIME.
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